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Application No. 10/697,873  
Customer No. 30734



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<i>In re</i> Application of:	)	Confirmation No.: 8996
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Jürgen Lumera <i>et al.</i>	)	Group Art Unit: 2178
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Application No.: 10/697,873	)	Examiner: David FABER
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Filed: October 31, 2003	)	
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For: NETWORK SYSTEM FOR INFORMATION CREATION, MANAGEMENT AND PUBLICATION OF DOCUMENTATION	)	

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

United States Patent & Trademark Office  
Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment  
Randolf Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed December 23, 2005 ("Office Action"), to which a response is due with a two-month extension by May 23, 2006, please amend and reconsider the above-identified patent application as follows. Entry of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested because they are believed to place the application in condition for allowance or in better condition for appeal and do not raise any new issues requiring further consideration and/or search.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.